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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Ding

Conformation No. 3400

Application No.: 10/679,057

Group Art Unit: 1762

Filed: October 3, 2003

Examiner: Michener, Jennifer Kolb

For: MEDICAL DEVICE WITH
POROUS SURFACE FOR
CONTROLLED DRUG RELEASE
AND METHOD OF MAKING THE
SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 10177-239-999
(CAM 008563-999236)

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 29, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendment and remarks be made of record in the above-identified application. Submitted concurrently herewith is: (1) a Revocation and Power of Attorney; (2) a Terminal Disclaimer; (3) Terminal Disclaimer Fee Sheet; (4) an Information Disclosure Statement; (5) List of References Cited by Applicant; and (6) a Petition for Extension of Time of Three Months.

No additional fee is believed to be due in connection with the filing of this amendment. However, should it be determined otherwise, authorization is hereby provided to charge any required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.